PROTECTIVE LIFE CORP

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BRIGGS ROBERT S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROTECTIVE LIFE CORP [PL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH		OUTH	06/07/2007	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Exec VP		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	ve Sec	urities A	cquired, Disposed	d of, or Benef	icially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/07/2007		Code V S	Amount 200	(D)	Price \$ 49.29	22,370.693	D	
Common Stock	06/07/2007		S	637	D	\$ 49.28	21,733.693	D	
Common Stock	06/07/2007		S	800	D	\$ 49.27	20,933.693	D	
Common Stock	06/07/2007		S	2,484	D	\$ 49.26	18,449.693	D	
Common Stock							37,891.9373	I	By 401(k) (1)

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Common Stock	1,586.251	I	By daughter (2)
Common Stock	1,564.29	I	By son (2)
Common Stock	84,108.76	I	Deferred Compensation

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 1 3 (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
SAR 06 (4)	\$ 41.05					03/04/2006	03/04/2015	SAR	1,500	
SAR 06 a (4)	\$ 41.05					03/04/2007	03/04/2015	SAR	1,500	
SAR 06 b (4)	\$ 41.05					03/04/2008	03/04/2015	SAR	1,500	
SAR 06 c (4)	\$ 41.05					03/04/2009	03/04/2015	SAR	1,500	
SAR 3 3 06 (4)	\$ 48.6					03/03/2007	03/03/2016	SAR	1,125	
SAR 3 3 06 a (4)	\$ 48.6					03/03/2008	03/03/2016	SAR	1,125	
SAR 3 3 06 b (4)	\$ 48.6					03/03/2009	03/03/2016	SAR	1,125	
SAR 3 3	\$ 48.6					03/03/2010	03/03/2016	SAR	1,125	

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06 c (4)					
SAR 4 (4)	\$ 32	03/04/2007	03/04/2012	SAR	30,000
SAR 5 (4)	\$ 26.49	03/03/2008	03/03/2013	SAR	15,000
SAR 6	\$ 22.31	07/21/2004	03/06/2010	SAR	29,721

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runne, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BRIGGS ROBERT S							
2801 HIGHWAY 280 SOUTH			Exec VP				
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223							

Signatures

By: by Harriette Hyche
Attorney-in-Fact for

06/11/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Total Shares Held by reporting person in PLC's 401(k) & Stock Ownership Plan as of 05/31/07
- (2) I disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares.
- (3) Shares acquired through PLC Deferred Compensation Plan for Officers of the Corporation (exempt under Rule 16b-3).
- (4) Previously reported Stock Appreciation Right (SAR).

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